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8 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
9 WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON
10 AT TACOMA

11 RENE R. SALLINGER,

12 Plaintiff,

13 v.

14 MICHAEL J. ASTRUE, Commissioner of
Social Security,

15 Defendant.
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CASE NO. C08-5631FDB-KLS

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE TO
FILE OPENING BRIEF

18 This matter is before the Court on plaintiff's failure to file an opening brief pursuant to the Court's
19 January 6, 2009 order setting the briefing schedule. (Dkt. #8). According to that order, plaintiff's opening
20 brief was due February 3, 2009. To date, however, no opening brief has been filed with the Court.
21 Plaintiff, therefore, shall have until **no later than March 31, 2009**, to file an opening brief, or show cause
22 why this matter should not be dismissed for failure to prosecute.

23 The Clerk shall send a copy of this Order to counsel for plaintiff and counsel for defendant.

24 DATED this 3rd day of March, 2009.
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27 Karen L. Strombom
28 United States Magistrate Judge